

MEMORANDUM

TO: Wayne D. Criddle, State Engineer
FROM: Donald C. Norseth, Distribution Engineer
DATE: July 5, 1960
RE:

The Water Users' Meeting was held in Torrey, July 1, 1960.

The following were present:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Mailing Address</u>	<u>Representing</u>
Laurence Ekker	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Reo Hunt	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Glen Johnson	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Ford Weber	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Owen L. Jeffs	Caineville Kanesville , Utah	Caineville Kanesville
Glenn Whitby	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Melvin Cook	Torrey, Utah	
Melvin Brown	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Richard Ekker	Torrey, Utah	
Gene J. Newman	Richfield, Utah	Gar-Kane Power
Clark Day	Torrey, Utah	Gar-Kane Power
Andrew Ekker	Hanksville, Utah	
Harold Ekker		
Clyde Behunin	Torrey, Utah	Torrey Irrigation
J. Monroe Pack	Torrey, Utah	Torrey Irrigation
Earrel D. Brian	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Heber Rees	Hanksville, Utah	Hanksville
Dolan Brian	Loa, Utah	Caineville

Mr. Donald C. Norseth, of the State Engineer's Office, opened the meeting and asked for a general statement from the group as to their problems of was informed of the following:

1. Hanksville Irrigation Company had $1\frac{1}{2}$ cfs of water in their canal.
2. Caineville Irrigation Company had 3. of water in their canal.
3. Private users between Torrey and Hanksville diversions were not known. Torrey Irrigation Company Canal had 20 cfs in at the head, with 8 cfs being utilized by the Torrey Irrigation Company and the remainder either being turned back into the creek or being utilized by the Wilcox and Blackburn private users from the Torrey Canal. It was determined that all measurements were estimates and that the only measuring devices on the creek was a Parshall flume of questionable installation on the Hanksville Canal.

It was determined that Torrey Irrigation Company was of the opinion there was no use turning water down the canal if the private users down below diverted it all and Hanksville still didn't get any water.

A committee of three men was set up as a cooperative committee of: Harold Ekker, President, Hanksville Irrigation Company; Clyde Behunin, president of Torrey Irrigation Company; and Dolan Bryan, President of Caineville Irrigation Company, They are to set the headgates on the cooperative users only, and to discuss with the private users the problems at hand, to obtain their cooperation for the remainder of the year. The rights to be pro-rated

according to the Decree with the exception of the 5.41 cfs of water purchased by Torrey, which would be added to their pro-rata share and deducted from the former owners.

With this arrangement, the meeting was adjourned.